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Sir:

The Applicants respectfully request the current status of the above-identified patent application. The patent application was filed on 11/17/2003, and to date, no action has been received for this application.

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